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IN RE: DOCKET NO. 2005-342-C – Application of Comtel Telcom Assets LP d/b/a VarTec Telecom, Clear Choice Communications, Excel Telecommunications and VarTec Solutions for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Interexchange and Local Exchange Telecommunications Services, for Flexible Regulatory Treatment, Alternative Regulation and for Approval to Acquire Certain Assets of VarTec Telecom, Incorporated, Excel Telecommunications, Incorporated and VarTec Solutions, Incorporated

TO: ALL PARTIES OF RECORD

Pursuant to 26 S. C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-869(C)(Supp.2004):

1. The **Applicant** must prefile with the Commission 25 copies of the direct testimony and exhibits of the witnesses it intends to present and serve the testimony and exhibits of the witnesses on all Parties of Record on or before **December 12, 2005** (may be post-marked on this date).
2. **All Other Parties of Record** must prefile with the Commission 25 copies of the direct testimony and exhibits of the witnesses it intends to present and serve the testimony and exhibits of the witnesses on all Parties of Record on or before **December 28, 2005** may be (post-marked on this date).
3. Parties filing **Rebuttal Testimony** must prefile with the Commission 25 copies of the testimony and exhibits of the witnesses it intends to present and serve the testimony and exhibits of the witnesses on all Parties of Record on or before **January 3, 2006** (Rebuttal testimony and exhibits must be in the offices of the Commission and in the hands of the parties on these dates).
4. Parties filing **Surrebuttal Testimony** must prefile with the Commission 25 copies of the testimony and exhibits of the witnesses it intends to present and serve the testimony and exhibits of the witnesses on all Parties of Record on or before **January 5, 2006** (Surrebuttal testimony and exhibits must be in the offices of the Commission and in the hands of the parties on these dates).

Please be advised that failure to comply with the instructions contained herein could result in your proposed witnesses' testimony and exhibits being excluded in the subject proceeding.

Sincerely Yours,

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